[*Translation*]

Availability of Coal

2789.SHRI VISHWANATH SHASTRI:
SHRI LAKSHMI NARAIN MANI TRIPATHI:

Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

(a) the quantity in metric tonnes of pure coal as per the prescribed quantity and specifications available as on 15.7.1991 in the B.C.C.L. and the C.C.L. of Coal India Limited;

(b) the extent of stocks at each of the mines; and

(c) the grades of coal stocks at each of the mines; and its gradewise total value?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COAL (SHRI S.B. NYAMAGOUDA): (a) to (c). The information is being collected and to the extent available will be laid on the Table of the House.

[*English*]

Declining Production of Crude Oil

2790. SHRI RAM NAIK: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) the quantity of domestic crude oil productien from January to June, 1991, month-wise,

(b) if there is a decline, the reasons therefor; and

(c) the extent by which the decline will effect the Balance of Payment position at the present price level?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI B. SHANKARANAND): (a) The monthwise production was as follows:

Month	(MMT)
January, 1991	2,883
February, 1991	2.571
March, 1991	2.896
April, 1991	2.666
May, 1991	2.742
June, 1991	2.619

(b) and (c). Reservoir conditions are the main factors affecting production from existing fields. The additional requirement for foreign exchange would depend on the actual additional imports that would take place.

Harnessing of Sea Wave

2791. SHRI GOPI NATH GAJAPATHI: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal to generate power from Sea Wave;

(b) if so, the details of the proposed scheme;

(c) whether any ex-periment is proposed to be made in the Bay of Bengal particularly at Gopalpur in this regard; and

(d) if so, the details thereof including the amount likely to be incurred thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR POWER AND NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES (SHRI KALP NATH RAI): (a) and (b). An experimental 150 KW